

Recovery Plan Action Status

Plan Name: Revised Recovery Plan for the Northern Spotted Owl

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Species	Action Priority #	Action #	Action Description	Action Status	Est. Initiation Date	Est. Completion Date	Responsible Parties	Work Type	Labor Type	Action Comments
Northern spotted owl (Strix occidentalis caurina)	1	1	Establish FWS spotted owl implementation structure	Unknown			U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service	Management: Planning	Internal Administrative	
Northern spotted owl (Strix occidentalis caurina)	1	10	Conserve spotted owl sites and high value habitat for demographic support	Unknown			U.S. Bureau of Land Management, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, U.S. Forest Service	Work type not yet selected	Labor type not yet selected	
Northern spotted owl (Strix occidentalis caurina)	3	11	Design and conduct experiments concerning habitat, prey and spotted owl fitness and thinning	Unknown			Oregon Department of Forestry, U.S. Bureau of Land Management, National Park Service, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, California Department of Fish and Game, California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection, U.S. Forest Service, Landowners, Washington Department of Natural Resources	Work type not yet selected	Labor type not yet selected	
Northern spotted owl (Strix occidentalis caurina)	2	12	Post-fire management in lands managed for spotted owl habitat development	Not Started			U.S. Bureau of Land Management, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, U.S. Forest Service	Work type not yet selected	Labor type not yet selected	
Northern spotted owl (Strix occidentalis caurina)	3	13	Standardize habitat definitions	Not Started			U.S. Bureau of Land Management, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Northern Spotted Owl Implementation Team	Work type not yet selected	Labor type not yet selected	

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Northern spotted owl (<i>Strix occidentalis caurina</i>)	3	14	Encourage development of HCPs and SHAs that are consistent with spotted owl recovery	Not Started			U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service	Work type not yet selected	Labor type not yet selected	
Northern spotted owl (<i>Strix occidentalis caurina</i>)	3	15	Solicit recommendations for non-federal landowner incentives	Not Started			U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service	Work type not yet selected	Labor type not yet selected	
Northern spotted owl (<i>Strix occidentalis caurina</i>)	2	16	Long-term maintenance of forest management infrastructure	Not Started			County governments, U.S. Bureau of Land Management, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, U.S. Forest Service, State Governments	Work type not yet selected	Labor type not yet selected	
Northern spotted owl (<i>Strix occidentalis caurina</i>)	3	17	Monitor and address diseases	Not Started			Northern Spotted Owl Implementation Team	Work type not yet selected	Labor type not yet selected	
Northern spotted owl (<i>Strix occidentalis caurina</i>)	2	18	WA State Forest Practices Board evaluation of strategic non-federal spotted owl contributions	Not Started			Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife, Washington Forest Practices Board, Washington Department of Natural Resources	Work type not yet selected	Labor type not yet selected	
Northern spotted owl (<i>Strix occidentalis caurina</i>)	2	19	Cooperate with ODF on scientific evaluation of potential role of State and private lands, and the effectiveness of Oregon Forest Practices rules	Not Started			Oregon Department of Forestry, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service	Work type not yet selected	Labor type not yet selected	
Northern spotted owl (<i>Strix occidentalis caurina</i>)	3	2	Monitor population trend	Not Started			U.S. Bureau of Land Management, National Park Service, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, U.S. Forest Service, Northern Spotted Owl Implementation Team	Research: Population Assessment	Internal Field Assistance, Species Expert	

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Northern spotted owl (<i>Strix occidentalis caurina</i>)	2	20	Work with CAL FIRE on recovery role on non-federal lands and evaluation/implementation of conservation tools	Not Started			U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection	Work type not yet selected	Labor type not yet selected	
Northern spotted owl (<i>Strix occidentalis caurina</i>)	2	21	FWS work with CAL FIRE to provide Forest Practice Rules for spotted owls	Not Started			U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection	Work type not yet selected	Labor type not yet selected	
Northern spotted owl (<i>Strix occidentalis caurina</i>)	2	22	If necessary, work with State of California on options to allow lethal control of barred owls	Not Started			State of California, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service	Work type not yet selected	Labor type not yet selected	
Northern spotted owl (<i>Strix occidentalis caurina</i>)	2	23	Analyze existing data sets for effects of barred owls	Not Started			U.S. Bureau of Land Management, National Park Service, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, U.S. Forest Service, Barred Owl Work Group	Work type not yet selected	Labor type not yet selected	
Northern spotted owl (<i>Strix occidentalis caurina</i>)	2	24	Establish protocols to detect barred owls	Not Started			U.S. Bureau of Land Management, National Park Service, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, U.S. Forest Service, Barred Owl Work Group	Work type not yet selected	Labor type not yet selected	
Northern spotted owl (<i>Strix occidentalis caurina</i>)	3	25	Ensure protocols adequately detect spotted owls	Not Started			U.S. Bureau of Land Management, National Park Service, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, U.S. Forest Service, State Governments, Barred Owl Work Group, Landowners	Work type not yet selected	Labor type not yet selected	

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Northern spotted owl (<i>Strix occidentalis caurina</i>)	2	26	Analyze resource partitioning	Not Started			U.S. Bureau of Land Management, National Park Service, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, U.S. Forest Service, Barred Owl Work Group, U.S. Geological Survey	Work type not yet selected	Species Expert	
Northern spotted owl (<i>Strix occidentalis caurina</i>)	2	27	Implement public outreach strategy	Not Started			U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Barred Owl Work Group	Work type not yet selected	Labor type not yet selected	
Northern spotted owl (<i>Strix occidentalis caurina</i>)	1	28	Expedite permitting of experimental removals	Not Started			U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, State Governments	Work type not yet selected	Labor type not yet selected	
Northern spotted owl (<i>Strix occidentalis caurina</i>)	1	29	Conduct experimental removal studies	Not Started			Barred Owl Work Group	Work type not yet selected	Labor type not yet selected	
Northern spotted owl (<i>Strix occidentalis caurina</i>)	3	3	Monitor occupancy through surveys or modeling	Not Started			Northern Spotted Owl Implementation Team	Research: Population Assessment, Research: Population Surveys	Internal Field Assistance, Species Expert	
Northern spotted owl (<i>Strix occidentalis caurina</i>)	1	30	Manage negative effects of barred owls	Not Started			U.S. Bureau of Land Management, National Park Service, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, U.S. Forest Service, State Governments, Barred Owl Work Group, Landowners	Work type not yet selected	Labor type not yet selected	
Northern spotted owl (<i>Strix occidentalis caurina</i>)	2	31	Develop mechanisms to support barred owl management	Not Started			U.S. Bureau of Land Management, National Park Service, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, U.S. Forest Service, State Governments, Barred Owl Work Group, Landowners	Work type not yet selected	Labor type not yet selected	

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Northern spotted owl (<i>Strix occidentalis caurina</i>)	1	32	Maintain high-quality habitat across all landscapes	Not Started			U.S. Bureau of Land Management, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, U.S. Forest Service, State Governments	Work type not yet selected	Labor type not yet selected	
Northern spotted owl (<i>Strix occidentalis caurina</i>)	3	33	Develop delisting monitoring plan	Not Started			U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service	Work type not yet selected	Labor type not yet selected	
Northern spotted owl (<i>Strix occidentalis caurina</i>)	1	4	Utilize habitat modeling framework for Recovery measures	Not Started			U.S. Bureau of Land Management, National Park Service, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, U.S. Forest Service, State Governments	Work type not yet selected	Labor type not yet selected	
Northern spotted owl (<i>Strix occidentalis caurina</i>)	2	5	FWS to consider and incorporate climate change impacts on spotted owls into planning	Not Started			U.S. Forest Service	Work type not yet selected	Labor type not yet selected	
Northern spotted owl (<i>Strix occidentalis caurina</i>)	1	6	West side: Manage to accelerate structural complexity	Not Started			U.S. Bureau of Land Management, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, U.S. Forest Service	Work type not yet selected	Labor type not yet selected	
Northern spotted owl (<i>Strix occidentalis caurina</i>)	1	7	Create Dry Cascades Work Group (DCWG)	Not Started			U.S. Bureau of Land Management, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, U.S. Forest Service	Work type not yet selected	Labor type not yet selected	
Northern spotted owl (<i>Strix occidentalis caurina</i>)	3	8	Fire and occupancy data analysis	Not Started			Dry Cascades Working Group	Work type not yet selected	Labor type not yet selected	
Northern spotted owl (<i>Strix occidentalis caurina</i>)	1	9	Create Klamath Province Work Group (KPWG)	Not Started			U.S. Bureau of Land Management, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, U.S. Forest Service	Work type not yet selected	Labor type not yet selected	